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Meddling In Union's Affairs?

Plea For Termination Of Indian Representation In S. Africa

JOHANNESBURG, Aug. 31.

A demand for the recall of Sir Shafaat Khan and the termination of Indian representation in South Africa was made to-day by Afrikaans opposition newspaper 'Die Transvaler' in an editorial on Sir S. Khan's speech at Durban.

The paper accuses the Government of India of meddling in the internal affairs of the Union on the basis of Sir S. Khan's statement to the Natal Indian Congress recognised by the Government of India which also discourages any attempt to form a rival Indian Association.

"What right has the Government of India to meddle in the internal affairs of the Union? What right has the High Commissioner to meddle in internal affairs and policy?"

CONTINUAL MEDDLING

"The High Commissioner has no right to become an agitator for a change of established policy. On the contrary continual meddling by representatives in the internal affairs of the Union and the possibility that this may cause difficulty for South Africa makes it imperative to demand that this representation be ended".

The newspaper declares that the original purpose of the appointment of a High Commissioner was to facilitate repatriation of Indians but since then the post has merely given rise to worse feeling and complication of the existing problems.

The far reaching meddling calls for the clearest rebuff. "This will be good for the Indian Government which sticks its fingers far too much in the Union's internal affairs.

Rather than wait until India is free and hostile before wiping out this question root and branch, it must be done now while India is powerless.

The Indians in the Union behave like citizens of India and seek consolation and support there. Good, then let us send them back to their home —India", the newspaper adds.—Reuter

Bombay Signs Cheque For Bengal

BOMBAY, Wednesday

An excellent revue consisting of music and magic, impersonation and mimicry, oriental ballet dancing and acrobatics, was presented at the Wellington Theatre this evening, in aid of the Bengal Relief Fund, by the Minden Royal Naval Club.

Mrs. Bapsey Sabavala, who organised the function, announced during interval that the day's takings were Rs. 1,520 from the sale of tickets.

A further sum of Rs. 4,000 had been received, a little before the revue, in the form of donations from the following persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jehangir K. Mehta Rs. 1,500; Mr. Merwanji B. M. Dalal Rs. 1,000; Anonymous Rs. 1,000; Mrs. Bachoobai J. Pandya, in memory of her aunt, Mrs. Bachoobai M. S. Jamshedji Rs. 500.

She thanked the Minden Royal Naval Fleet Club, for the success of the revue, as also the men and the women who participated in it.

PEACE IN 1943

Pope's Appeal For Bread To Suffering Humanity

LONDON, Sept. 1

The Pope in a broadcast to the world from the Vatican Radio today, appealed for peace by the end of the year, "Do not let the year end with destruction, but let it be the beginning of a fraternal reconciliation", he said. The peoples after such suffering, deserve only peace, bread and work". —Reuter.

POPE'S EMISSARY FOR WASHINGTON

LONDON, Sept. 1

The German Overseas Radio says that Signor Enrico Galeazzi, Governor of the Vatican City who arrived in Lisbon by air yesterday, is on his way to Washington as special envoy of the Holy See. "Vatican circles believe that he is carrying a private message from the Pope to President Roosevelt", the Radio stated.—Reuter.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON (October)

New York, Sept. 1.

Previous closing	.....	20.32
To-day's opening	.....	20.34
Difference	.....	+02

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Sept. 1.

Stock Exchange opening prices:—General Motors dol. 51-3/4, Anaconda Copper Mining dol. 26-1/2, U. S. Steel Corporation Common dol. 52-3/4, U. S. Steel pref. unquoted.—Reuter.

No End To Starvation Deaths In Calcutta

Scindias Offer Free Freight For Food Grains To Bengal

CALCUTTA, Sept. 1.

The "United Press" has been informed that the Scindia Steam Navigation Company has sent a telegram to Dr. S. P. Mookerjee that they are prepared to place one steamer of about six to seven thousand tons at his disposal to carry food grains from Karachi to Calcutta without charging any freight.

The Director of Public Information states that there were 89 admissions of starvation cases in the Campbell Hospital and 46 in the Behala A.R.P. Hospital yesterday.

There were 11 deaths in the Campbell Hospital and 12 in the Behala Hospital.

Twelve people were discharged from the former and 13 from the latter place.—A.P.

Deaths Due To Starvation

HABIGANJ (Assam), Sept. 1

It was disclosed at a meeting organised by the Local Food Committee that reports of deaths due to starvation were received from the village of Mandarkhandi.—United Press.

Reserve Shipping Space For Food Only

CALCUTTA, Sept. 1

The necessity of utilising all available shipping space for importing food grains into the country to save millions from starvation and death rather than importing luxury goods for a few people, is stressed by the Committee of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Calcutta, in the course of a telegram addressed to Sir J. P. Srivastava, Food Member of the Government of India.

Referring to the report that "the shipping situation having appreciably improved, the Government proposed to import larger quantities of certain consumable goods, such as whiskey and toilet goods, etc., to ease the existing shortage in respect of the same", the Committee state that consignments of such goods are not items of primary necessity and their imports can well be deferred till adequate stocks of food are available in the country. They strongly urge that "when acute famine-like conditions are prevailing in the country and a number of deaths are taking place daily in the city for want of food", Government should immediately arrange for food supplies from foreign countries with whatever shipping space may be available for the purpose.—A. P.

Sind Wheat For Bengal

KARACHI, Sept. 1

In an interview to the 'United Press,' Mr. Gazdar, Home Minister, said that the Government of Sind were considering a proposal to send 1,00,000 maunds of wheat to Bengal to be sold there at the controlled price prevailing in Sind plus the incidental charges of transport, etc., through the agency of charitable institutions or Government.

It is understood that the Government will depute some official to look after the distribution of their wheat in Bengal.—United Press.

All For Bengal Relief

BOMBAY, Sept. 1

The Bengal Relief started by "Vandemataram" yesterday has reached the total of Rs. 20,000.

Mr. Samaldas Gandhi, Editor of the paper is leaving for Calcutta on Friday to study the situation first-hand.

The "Janmabhoomi" Relief Fund amounts to over Rs. 31,000 out of which Rs. 10,000 have been sent to-day to Dr. Syma Prasad Mookerjee. Of this sum Rs. 1,000 has been donated by the staff of "Janmabhoomi", "Lokamanya" and "Nutan Gujarat." United Press.

ALLAHABAD: The contributions to the "Leader's Bengal Relief Fund" continue to meet a very generous and spontaneous response for the relief of the sufferers in Bengal. The total contributions to the fund exceed Rs. 24,000 in seven days.—A. P.

FREE KITCHENS

CALCUTTA: Sir Abdul Halim Ghuznavi, M.L.A. (Central), has donated Rs. 10,000 for the purpose of opening a number of free kitchens for feeding the destitutes without any distinction of caste or creed, of his own Sub-division in Tangail, District Mymensingh.

NIZAM'S SYMPATHY

HYDERABAD (Dn.): "I am deeply touched by anxiety prevailing amongst my people in present conditions of food scarcity in some parts of India and while my Government is doing everything possible, I appreciate the desire of women citizens of Hyderabad to render organised help. I wish all success to you and to those interested in these endeavours". This was the message of H. E. H. the Nizam which was read at a well represented meeting of women of Hyderabad held yesterday under the presidency of Princess Niloufer Sahiba for the purpose of intensifying relief works in these days of food scarcity. —United Press.

BENGAL FOOD PARADE

BOMBAY, Sept. 1

The Working Committee of the District Hindu Sabha has decided to observe 'Bengal Day'. Volunteers of the Sabha will collect donations during the ensuing Ganpati festival. The members of the Committee have also decided to donate the cost of one meal in a week for two months for the distressed in Bengal and Bijapur.

The Committee also passed a resolution urging the Government of India and the Bengal Government to take immediate steps to give relief to the starving population of Bengal—United Press.

Organisation On Famine Basis

CALCUTTA, Sept. 1

"Bengal is to all intents and purpose being organised a famine basis", observed Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Minister for Civil Supplies, Bengal, explaining the Government policy on the food situation at a press conference this afternoon.

While applauding the traditional non-official philanthropy, the Minister related to the various measures undertaken by the Government.

He wanted to dispel the misgivings of the Provincial Governments regarding the reception of commodities in Bengal of their proper distribution, and said if food grains were consigned to the Director of Civil Supplies, the Government of Bengal would see that no single grain would be wasted.

The Civil Supplies Minister added that he had no desire to quarrel with the Government of India to which "after all we look for succour" but he just wanted to say that any impression that the Bengal Government could not clear food grains expeditiously was wholly incorrect, and not in accordance with facts. For bungling in the past, he further said, the Government of Bengal was not responsible.—United Press.

Dr. Khan Saheb's Charge Against Frontier Ministry

PESHAWAR, Sept. 1

The present Ministry has done nothing for the people of the province so far except increasing their own salaries and when our Ministry returns, we shall make them pay back all," declared Dr. Khan Saheb addressing a public meeting in the city. He said that the Ministry was proclaiming that they would force stockists of foodstuffs to sell at reasonable rates what they were hoarding. It was meaningless added Dr. Khan Saheb, as all stockists were friends of the present Government. Dr. Khan Saheb held the Governor responsible for imposing unconstitutional Ministry on the head of the people, and assured the people that the present state of affairs would not last long.

Referring to the present conditions in Calcutta, he said that all responsibility lay on the Provincial Government which had sent large quantity of grain overseas. He, however, appealed to the Frontier people to organise immediate help for the sufferers in Bengal.

Arabab Abdul Rehman and Hakim Abdul Jalil Nadir also addressed the meeting.

Dr Khan Sahib is leaving for Murree shortly.—A. P.

BENGAL GOVERNOR IMPROVES

CALCUTTA, Sept. 1

There has been marked improvement in His Excellency's condition and no further haemorrhage has taken place, according to to-day's Government House bulletin on Sir John Herbert's health. The bulletin adds: "The general condition is satisfactory."—A. P.

MILK FAMINE IN LAHORE

LAHORE, Sept. 1.

In consequence of the order of the District Magistrate, Lahore, finxing the price of milk and curd in the district of Lahore, both the commodities have practically disappeared from the market. The authorities are, however, stated to be taking stern measures to restore normal supply.

Six milk sellers have so far been arrested for alleged defiance of the District Magistrate's order.—A.P.

NOTICE

SATURDAY 4TH INSTANT BEING PARSI PATETI HOLIDAY, THE OFFICE OF THE "BOMBAY CHRONICLE" WILL REMAIN CLOSED ON THAT DAY. THE "BOMBAY CHRONICLE WEEKLY" WILL, HOWEVER, BE AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING SUNDAY MORNING WITHOUT THE NEWS SECTION.

STOP PRESS

KARMARKAR COMMITTED TO SESSIONS

DHARWAR, Sept. 1

The City Magistrate of Dharwar, committed to Sessions, the case against Mr. D. P. Karmarkar, it may be remembered that Mr. Karmarkar was arrested at Bombay last April, after absconding for eight months. Mr. Anantrao Sawakar, another Congress worker was arrested yesterday evening in a suburb of Dharwar.—A. P.

Weak from want of food. —"Statesman."

U. S. Raid On Marcus Island

Tokyo Sees Danger To Japanese Mainland

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.

A Navy Spokesman announced that United States Task Forces raided Marcus Island.

He said: "A Carrier Task Force raid planned for September 1, is presumably in progress at Marcus Island. The task force should have arrived on scheduled time."

The spokesman added: "However no report has been received from the raiding force, and it is presumed that there will be none until the need for radio silence ceases to exist." Marcus Island is 1,200 miles south-east of Tokyo and 900 miles north-west of Wake Island. The action is the first against this outpost guarding vital Japanese positions in the Central Pacific, since March 4, 1942. To-day's announcement indicated complete confidence here that the American Task Force will be able to cope with any forces that the Japanese may attempt to bring against it.

Reporting that American planes and naval vessels attacked Marcus Island, the Tokyo Broadcaster warned the people of Japan that Marcus is "only 2,000 kilometres from the mainland of Japan, and the enemy could have raided the mainland if he wanted to."

A Tokyo Radio 'communique' reports that American planes and naval vessels attacked Marcus Island at dawn on Wednesday.—Reuter.

Invasion Threat Gives Jitters To Berlin

Nazi Troops Withdrawn From Eastern Front For Mobilisation On The West; R. A. F. Bomb German Capital

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 1.

A German military spokesman told Neutral correspondents in Berlin that a number of German troops have been withdrawn from the Eastern Front to meet possible invasion in the West.

BATTLESHIPS IN ACTION

The battleships "Rodney" and "Nelson," the Cruiser "Orion" and nine destroyers in daylight Tuesday morning bombarded Italian coastal batteries in the Reggio area with the result of starting fires and knocking out at least one enemy gun. The battleships' sixteen-inch guns started fires exploding ammunition. Some battle wagons and supporting vessels were similarly in battered positions in the area of Cape Pellaro.

PISA ATTACKED

Flying fortresses made one of the longest flights undertaken in recent weeks, when they made a strong attack on the railyards and the airfield at Pisa yesterday.

News from the Balkans indicates that the Italians are pulling back their advanced posts and garrisons and are centralising their forces.

R. A. F. Raid On Berlin

LONDON, Sept. 1

It is officially announced that second heavy attack was made on Berlin last night. Forty-eight bombers are missing.

BERLIN: A neutral observer said that fires were still burning in Berlin over the week-end following the raid on August 23. Last night's raid was the 76th on the German capital.

The German communique, reporting last night's raid on Berlin said, "In some districts of the city and in the vicinity of the Capital, damage was caused, some of it considerable.

Marauder medium bombers attacked a power plant and chemical works near Bethune and a fighter aerodrome at Lille—Vendeville in France on Tuesday. Extensive damage was caused.

TANSA OVERFLOWS AGAIN

The Tansa Lake is once again overflowing since Wednesday afternoon. This announcement was made by the Municipal Commissioner on Wednesday before the Standing Committee of the Municipal Corporation. So far, therefore, water situation in the city is quite satisfactory.

Verity Dies In Italian Hospital

LONDON, Sept. 1.

It is officially announced that the Cricketer Captain Hedley Verity, who three weeks ago was reported missing in Sicily, died of wounds on July 31st in a military hospital, while prisoner of war in Italy.—Reuter.

KING CHRISTIAN AND SON INTERNED IN HOTEL

STOCKHOLM Sept. 1.—King Christian, his youngest son Prince Knud and his nephew Prince Axel are interned in the Hotel D'Angletree, at Copenhagen, together with other Danish active officers.—Reuter

"STARVATION" IN SURAT?

Sensational Revelations At Chamber Meeting

(From A Correspondent).

SURAT, Sept. 1.

Sensational revelations were made at a meeting of donors held under the auspices of the Surat Merchants' Chamber to discuss the food situation, by its President Rao Bahadur Shastri, when he said: "There is starvation even in Surat and several workers don't get corn sometimes even for two days."

The Secretary, Mr. Modi, reviewed the position during the last year and asked people to be prepared for rationing, if it was introduced.

The President, R. B. Shastri made a forecast that the Collector's meeting to be held at Poona may decide to purchase all new crops.

The Collector, Mr. V. Vaidya and several other members also addressed the meeting.

Detenus Now Can Interview Members Of Their Family

POONA, September 1.

It is learned that the Government of Bombay have just passed orders sanctioning interviews to political detenus with the members of their family, which had not been allowed hitherto since August 1942.

The order applies only to those detained under the order of the Bombay Government. Interviews for the present have been fixed at once a month for class 1 detenus, and once in two months for class 2. It is further learned that this order does not affect the privileges now being given to detenus regarding correspondence.—A.P.

"U. S. And Australia Must Send Supplies To India" Says Mudaliar

MADRAS, Aug. 31.

The Hon. Sir A. Ramaswamy Mudaliar, Supply Member to the Government of India, speaking at a dinner party given by Mr. G. D. Naidu in his honour at Connemara Hotel to-night emphasised his firm conviction that at the end of the war, India would be made a self governing country, equal in status and position to that of any free country in the world.

At the outset, referring to the food situation Sir Ramaswamy Mudaliar suggested that imports of food stuffs should come from America and Australia especially in view of the fact that there was similar scarcity in the Mid-East countries. India had played a great part in furnishing these countries with the necessary articles of consumption.

The Supply Member stated that he had attended conferences in London on this issue and had emphasised the case on behalf of India on that very ground and that he was hopeful that from October onwards, particularly from January of next year, the shipping position would have so eased that they could confidently expect imports of such food stuffs from those countries.

Sir Mudaliar pointed out that the responsibility for this grave problem was directly with the Food Member. Every member of the Executive Council, he said, was equally responsible and though on all large questions of policy, the primary responsibility lay with the member in charge, no member of the Executive Council could disown responsibility for proper decisions.—A. P.

Watery Grave For Fifty

SURAT, Sept. 1.

Fifty persons, including five children, lost their lives following a boat tragedy in the Narmada river while carrying about 125 pilgrims to Kumbeshwar on the other side of the river, according to a report published in a local paper.

The boatman who came to the shore following the tragedy is stated to have gone mad.

"WE WANT GANDHI NOT WAVELL"

Demand Of Indian Congressmen In Britain

(From Our Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 30.

"WE WANT GANDHI NOT WAVELL" was the main theme at a well-attended public meeting held under the auspices of the Committee of Indian Congressmen in Britain last night at which Mr. Laurence Housman, Vera Britain, Professor George Catlin Amiya Bose, Syeed Ameer Shah, P. B. Seal and B. B. Ray-Choudhury spoke.

Mr. Seal Chairman said: It is not India alone which wanted Gandhi but the whole world. Gandhi was the symbol of all oppressed peoples in the world. Mr. Housman referring to Mr. Churchill's Mansion House speech said, the Premier had refused to concede to Burma Dominion Status after war and also refused to apply the Atlantic Charter to India Mr. Housman concluded "My preference for Gandhi instead of Wavell is because I am convinced that Gandhi would not work for British imperialism whereas I believe Wavell probably will."

In the course of his speech, Mr. Amiya Bose criticised the activities of certain Indian political organisations in Britain especially India League, which he and Syeed Ameer Shah described as "Quisling" organisations seeking negotiations with British imperialism under the influence and direction of much discredited British Communist Party which has lost all its claim to represent the working class and masses.

Mr. Cove agreed with Mr. Bose, Mr. B. B. Ray-Choudhury said the Atlantic Charter was nothing else than "Atlantic Barter."

MRS. ROOSEVELT FOR AUSTRALIA

CANBERRA, Sept. 1

The Prime Minister Mr. Curtin stated to-day, that it was on a cordial invitation of the Commonwealth Government that Mrs. Roosevelt would visit Australia on the completion of her present tour of New Zealand.—Reuter.

Polish Division Fights Nazis

German Withdrawal In Voroshilovgrad Area

BERLIN, Sept. 1.

The German News Agency said to-day, "The German lines in Voroshilovgrad area have been withdrawn. They had been subjected to furious attacks aiming at complete breakthrough.

POLISH DIVISIONS FOR FRONT

LONDON:—The Moscow Radio said to-day that "The first Polish division is leaving for the front. Owing to an influx of volunteers, a second Polish division has been formed. The Poles now have a full army corps in the Soviet Union."

The Soviet victory at Yelnya brings the threat of a new disaster to the Germans: The cutting off of all the German forces at Bryansk and in the area west of the town. It opens up disquieting prospects for the German High Command. The German southern front has been staved in and whole German armies in the Donbas are threatened with destruction while other Soviet forces march steadily towards the Dnieper.

Fierce battles are developing on either side of the 180 mile wide Bryansk bulge. The dense belts of German fortifications on this front are threatened with being outflanked as a result of deep Russian thrusts from the north and south. The Russians are still counting the huge stocks of petrol abandoned by the Germans in Yelmya. They have another big task in clearing up the German dead littering the streets and roads on the outskirts of the city.

Soviet troops are pushing ahead on the Smolensk and Sevsk fronts in the face of strong resistance. Fierce battles are raging on both fronts. Soviet dive-bombers are out in exceptional strength.

A "Red Star" report from the Sevsk front said "Our troops are developing their success and everywhere inflicting huge losses."

NO QUISLING FOR POLAND

LONDON: Poland's determination to fight side by side with the Allies until complete victory was won was reaffirmed by M. Wladyslaw Raczkiewicz, the Polish President in a broadcast to Poland to-day, on the fourth anniversary of the German invasion.

"Among nations temporarily defeated by the Germans we are the only one from which no quisling has arisen who would collaborate with the Germans", declared the President. Saying that Poland faces the future with conndence, the President affirmed that Poland would strive with other Allied nations to base future peace on full recognition of the right of every nation to freedom and on organization of lasting ties between groups of nations with common aims and interests.

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, September 1.

The following is the weather-chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches, recorded at eight hours on 28/8/43.

Allahabad 88 77 0.5; Bombay 87 78 0.7; Calcutta 89 79 nil; Cawnpore 85 76 0.3; Cuttack 89 74 1.6; Darjeeling 63 56 0.5; Delhi 87 77 0.1; Dehra Dun 77 71 1.0; Jacobabad 99 91 nil; Karachi 82 77 nil, Lahore 101 81 nil Lucknow 85 75 0.9; Madras 93 74 0.6; Nagpur 76 71 0.2, Patna 89 78 0.3 Peshawar 96 80 nil. Shillong 72 61 0.4 Simla nil.—A. P.

"Swaraj is my birth-right and I will have it".

—TILAK.

The Bombay Chronicle

A PLEA FOR JUSTICE

The Government of India have been spared the necessity of promulgating a fresh Ordinance to validate detentions under the Defence of India Rule 26. The Federal Court has held that Ordinance 14 validating the detentions is technically lawful. Whether the Ordinance is fair or just is another question. But, apart from formal law, the chief point of interest in the Court's judgment is the majority opinion that the orders of detention issued under the Rule and considered by the Court were bad in law. "In no case," says the Court, "does it appear that the matter was considered by the Governor at any stage, much less than at the time the order was made he was satisfied with regard to any of the matters set out in the order of detention." And referring to the procedure actually followed, the Court remarks: "We cannot condemn the procedure adopted in these cases too strongly. It would be difficult to conceive of a more callous disregard of the provision of the law and of the liberty of the subject."

On the plea that the procedure adopted involved "thousands of people," the Government of Bengal asked for and have obtained leave to appeal to the Privy Council. As the question, therefore, is again *sub judice* we shall not discuss here the legal aspect of the procedure followed. But for the very reason that the procedure involves "thousands of people" some points of common fairness deserve to be considered now. The gist of the observations made by the Court on more occasions than one regarding the procedure leading to any detention is that first, there must be sufficient evidence to warrant suspicion, that the evidence must be sifted by responsible members of Government and that this should be done before an order of detention is issued. With regard to this last point the Chief Justice remarks in the present case: "It was wholly wrong to direct that orders should go as a matter of course on police recommendation and that the real consideration should follow the making of the order. It is impossible in my judgment for the Court to be satisfied that, after such a general order was given, there was, before the orders for detention were made, any full or proper inquiry by anyone or any proper satisfaction on the part of anyone that each case was one where it was necessary to make an order for detention under Rule 26 without that person's mind having been influenced by the improper routine order." These are sound general principles of procedure and scrupulously followed in Britain wherever detention is found necessary without a trial. They are even more necessary in a country like India where the Government is constitutionally irresponsible and where the normal law is replaced by endless Ordinances.

Churchill Explains

The fact that Mr. Churchill's broadcast originally scheduled for Sunday was postponed to Tuesday had led one to expect some special announcement. That expectation has been disappointed. But that is not the only disappointing feature of the Premier's broadcast Unless it was his deliberate intention to mislead the Germans and lull them into a sense of false security, Mr. Churchill's performance does not leave much doubt that an invasion of German occupied Europe has been further postponed. It was all an apologia very persuasive no doubt but, therefore, all the more obvious, too. He praised Russia, her people, her Government even and her leader profusely. This praise was wrung out of him by sheer force of circumstances, circumstances which simply cannot be ignored and which irresistibly compel recognition. He apologized to Russia and went even so far as publicly to submit to her reproaches and to defend them as natural and justifiable. Mr. Churchill has paid many tributes to the Russians and their leader during the last two years. But never was he so unreserved and exuberant as on Tuesday. And it is of historic significance that Churchill, the fierce enemy of the Soviet Revolution, the enthusiastic interventionist of 23 years ago and the man who would not "unsay" a word on June 22, 1941, of what he had ever said before, should publicly extol the unprecedented, matchless worth and stability of present Russia and her Government.

But all this was an apologia for the reluctance to undertake what he intended to convey would be a premature launching of the "second front". The question is: Would it be premature or inopportune now? The fact is that Britain and America are well prepared to strike like a boxer with both hands now. In a sense the delay in the invasion of Italy is understandable because it is Sicily which will be the base of operations and it has only been just conquered. Britain has had three full years in which to be organised as a base for the cross-channel landing. For three years there have been assembled in the country a well-trained invasion army of over two million men and a vast quantity of material. During these three years have been built up in Britain the greatest air force in the world and an invasion armada. Similarly an invasion force has been assembled in the Middle East. There are men, equipment and all sorts of material ready and available for Mr. Churchill's second and third fronts. The psychological opportunity is also favourable. The risks that are implicit are inevitable in any invasion and at any time. What stops President Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill from taking them is difficult to understand.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Danes React

For the Germans the Danish crisis had made it necessary to take drastic action. But as was expected the trouble that they sought to suppress by military force has only been aggravated. The Danes reacted immediately, sharply and admirably. The result is that a revolt is spreading all over the country. Sabotage, strikes and disorders have become general and they will be further intensified by the arrest and internment of King Christian and Danish leaders. It is clear that severe trouble involving the use of large numbers of Gestapo men and, what is more, of troops which are required elsewhere, has been forced upon the Germans. But it is also clear that unless the Allies take advantage of the situation now, the Danish revolt will be suppressed brutally at least in its outer and more effective manifestations.

Nazi-Swedish Crisis?

A very interesting and exciting situation may arise presently in the Baltic region. It is reported that Sweden, sticking to the cancellation of the railway transit agreement, has turned back three railway trucks loaded with German aeroplane engines for Norway. There is also a Rome report that, owing to Sweden's "uncompromising" attitude, the German-Swedish dispute may come to a head in the next 48 hours." If these reports are correct, the Swedes have evidently called the Nazi bluff. What is Hitler going to do?

Meddlesome Bungling

The adjournment motion in the Council of State on the suppression of Dr. Mookerji's statement about scarcity in Bengal was talked out but it sufficiently exposed the absurdity of the Government of India's action. The statement was allowed by the Bengal Government, who rightly felt that it would evoke universal sympathy for the province. The Central Government's action was as unreasonable as it was a disservice to Bengal.

Not Anti-Inflationary

It is said that the Government of India and Provincial Governments are planning a big anti-inflationary drive. But the particulars so far available show that the campaign is nothing more than fresh efforts to get better contributions to the Defence Loans. Nobody objects to the loans so long as their cost in terms of interest is compatible with India's capacity to pay and no undue pressure is put on the people by officials. But for obvious reasons they can be fully successful if supported by a National Government at the centre. Moreover, Defence loans have not necessarily an anti-inflationary tendency. The money lent by the people will be spent by the Government, who would not borrow if they did not need it for expenditure, and their expenditure will have nearly the same effect on prices as that by the people. Inflation can be checked only if currency is reduced or more goods are produced or imported to keep pace with the increase of currency. But Government are doing neither.

ORDINANCE 2 HELD VALID

Bombay High Court Dissents From Calcutta High Court

(Before the Hon. the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Lokur and Mr. Justice Rajadhyaksha.)

Their Lordships dismissed 19 applications in the nature of "habeas corpus" under Section 491 of the Code of Criminal Procedure by persons who had been convicted and sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment by Special Judges appointed under the Special Criminal Courts Ordinance No. 2 of 1942.

The Federal Court having on 4th June, 1943, held, the material sections of the Special Criminal Courts Ordinance to be 'ultra vires' and invalid, the Governor-General promulgated Ordinance No. 19 of 1943 by which the Special Criminal Courts Ordinance No. 2 of 1942 was repealed but the sentences passed in cases tried under its provisions were confirmed as if they had been passed under the Code of Criminal Procedure and rights of appeal and revision from those sentences were expressly conferred.

The petitioners in all these applications challenged the validity of this Validating Ordinance No. 19 of 1943 on the ground that the Governor-General could not by this Ordinance validate sentences based on trials and convictions which by reason of the Federal Court's decision were illegal. They therefore prayed that they should be set at liberty.

In dismissing the applications, the Chief Justice observed "It seems to me quite impossible to accept the argument that Ordinance 19 of 1943 promulgated by the Governor-General sets at nought the decision of the Federal Court of India. On the contrary it accepts the decision of the Federal Court." His Lordship, the Chief Justice stated that the decision of question whether it was within the competence of the Indian Legislature to pass the Ordinance in question validating sentences passed by Courts not legally constituted depended upon whether or not such an enactment fell within any of the three lists, Central, Provincial or Concurrent, in the seventh schedule to the Government of India Act. In his Lordship's opinion, a validating enactment of this character clearly fell within Items 1 and 2 of the Concurrent List under the heading of criminal law and criminal procedure and also within Item 1 of the Provincial List. His Lordship the Chief Justice stated that he agreed with the decisions of the Madras and Patna High Courts which have held Ordinance 19 to be valid and was of opinion that the decision of the Calcutta High Court to the contrary in the case of Benwa Lal Sarma (47 C. W. N. 157) was wrong.

Their Lordships, therefore, held that this validating Ordinance No. 19 of 1943 was within the competence of the Governor-General and was valid and ordered that the Rules issued in all the 19 cases be discharged.

Harris Released Unconditionally

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Mr. Mohmuddin Harris, Editor of the "Ajmal Daily" who was detained under Defence of India Rule 26 was released to-day unconditionally from the Yeravda Central prison.

Rewards For Apprehension Of Patwardhan And S. M. Joshi

Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

The Government of Bombay has offered rewards of Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 2,000 respectively to any person, other than a police officer, who gives information leading to the arrest of Achyut Sitaram Patwardhan, of Ahmednagar, and Shridhar Mahadeo Joshi, of Poona.

'P. T.' TAKEN TO SIALKOT JAIL

LAHORE, Sept. 1

Mr. Purshottam Tricumdas has been transferred to Sialkot Jail.

RELEASED ON PAROLE

LAHORE: Pandit Amar Nath Vidyalankar, member of the Servants of People Society, has been released on parole for a fortnight on account of the death of his father.

Mr. Prithvichand, Secretary of the Punjab Branch of the Spinners' Association, who was released on parole for a week on account of the death of his wife has been given a fortnight's extension.—A. P.

Nagpur High Court On Ordinance

(From Our Correspondent)

NAGPUR, Aug. 29

Mr. Justice K. G. Digby and Mr. Justice W. R. Puranik of the Nagpur High Court sitting in a bench have held Ordinance No. 19 of 1943 'ultra vires'.

Mr. Justice Puranik held that they were entitled to hear appeals on merits and the accused were not entitled to claim a release on the ground that the Ordinance was 'ultra vires' or on the ground that the appeals were filed only with a view to quashing the sentences. Leave, however, to the appellants to appeal in the Federal Court was given.

TWO RELEASED ON APPEAL

NEW DELHI, Aug. 31.

Two out of four persons convicted by a Special Magistrate on a charge of setting fire to the Sadar Bazar Post office, in the August disturbances, were ordered to be released to-day on appeal by Mr. D. Falshaw, District and Sessions Judge, Delhi.

The same judge reduced the sentence of Mr. Ganda Mal Sharma, who was sentenced to 18 months' R. I., for alleged possession of objectionable literature, to one year R. I. The sentence of another person Baij Nath, convicted under D. I. R. 38 and 39 for alleged possession and distribution of objectionable posters, was reduced to the period already undergone.—A. P.

PRESIDENT MUST GET SENATE'S CONFIDENCE VOTE

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.

Commenting on Mr. Churchill's broadcast, the "New York Times" says that references by Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt to a tripartite conference seem to indicate that though the desire is strong for such a meeting some time will be needed for the preparations.

"Some observers believe that the President should first try to get a vote of confidence from the Senate for a definite programme of American participation in the guarantees of peace", says the newspaper.

CHURCHILL ON THIRD FRONT

QUEBEC, Sept. 1.

Mr. Churchill in a radio summing up of the Quebec Conference told the world last night that he is thinking not only of a second front, but of a third front. He said:

The fate of King Boris may serve other miscreants with a reminder that the wages of sin is death.

All the Balkans is ablaze and the impending collapse of Italy as a war factor will not only remove from the scene the most numerous of their opponents but will also bring hope and help nearer to those unconquerable races.

The principal responsibilities of Great Britain against Japan at present lie on the Indian front and in the Indian Ocean. The creation of a combined Anglo-American command over all forces, on land, at sea and in the air, or both the countries in that theatre is similar to what has proved so successful in north-west Africa and has now been brought into effect.

The Supreme Commander of the South-east Asia front has been chosen and his name has been acclaimed by British, American and Chinese opinion. He will act in constant association with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.

It is true that Lord Louis Mountbatten is only 43. It is not often under modern conditions and in established military profession that a man gets so great a chance so early in life.

I have been asked several times since I crossed the Atlantic whether I think the Germans will give in this year or whether they will hold out to another which will certainly be worse for them. There are those who take an over-sanguine view.

Certainly we see all Europe rising under Hitler's tyranny. What is not happening in Denmark is only another example. Certainly we see the Germans hated as no other race has ever been hated in human history or with such good reason.

Path To Peace

Yet I consider that there are dangers in allowing our minds to dwell unduly upon the favourable circumstances which surround us and which are so vividly and punctually brought to our notice every day by the press and broadcast.

For myself I regard all such speculations as to when the war will end at this moment as vain and unprofitable. We did not undertake this task because we had carefully counted the cost or measured exactly the duration. We took it on because duty and honour called us to it and we are content to strive on at it until we have finished the job.

NO HAJ THIS YEAR Khare Explains Govt. Decision

BOMBAY, Wednesday

The Government would certainly have allowed the Haj this year if conditions permitted, said the Hon. Dr. N. B. Khare, Indian Overseas Member, in reply to a representation made by members of the Bombay Port Haj Committee, to-day. Dr. Khare pointed out that with the entry of Japan into War, conditions were not at all favourable for the Haj. Under the existing conditions, therefore, Government could not be a party to allow the Haj this year. He was fully sympathetic with the sentiments of the Muslim community.

Urging the need for the Haj this year, one of the members of the Committee declared that Muslims would be prepared to face the dangers of drowning.

In reply to the Committee's recommendation that Government should accept the recommendations made in Mr. Rahim's report, Dr. Khare said that Government had already issued orders regarding 24 recommendations in Mr. Rahim's report. Recommendations which had already been accepted without orders being issued totalled 14. The recommendations under consideration were 43.

The Trustees of the Jaffer Suleman Musafirkhana Trust met the Hon. Dr. Khare at the premises of the Trust at Wadi Bunder later in the evening.

War Profits Of Textile Mills

As a result of conditions created by the war, a number of industrial concerns in the country have made enormous profits. In order to give to our readers some idea of the extent of the profits made, we propose publishing from time to time relevant figures relating to a year's working of certain of these concerns. We published yesterday figures of some of the Textile Mills.

The following are figures in rupees for some other Textile Mills:—

	Capital	Reserve for Taxation	Profits on the year's working
Madhowji Dharmsi (Mar. 1942)	30,08,300	3,50,000	10,63,039
Madura Mills (Dec. 1942)	87,51,240		40,72,684
Model Mills (June 1942)	94,91,850	7,50,000	17,56,035
Morarji Goculdas (June 1942)	36,50,000		33,29,556
Muir Mills (Dec. 1942)	30,00,000	56,00,000	19,58,234
Mysore Mills (Feb. 1942)	14,86,410		10,85,597
New Victoria (Oct. 1942)	35,49,220	20,00,000	12,88,314
Sholapur Spg. and Wvg. Mills	52,17,129		34,80,821
Simplex Mills (Mar. 1942)	22,00,000		21,96,777
Western India (Mar. 1942)	12,00,000	6,00,000	4,60,620
Hindustan Spg. and Weav. (Mar. 1943)	12,00,000	4,64,070	27,81,601
Western India (Mar. 1943)	12,00,000	2,75,041	27,87,633
Kohinoor Mills (Dec. 1942)	34,55,000	64,11,676	32,29,160
Malbar Spg. and Wvg. (Dec. 1942)	6,00,000	5,60,000	2,06,181
Raza Textiles (Dec. 1942)	22,50,000		19,45,407
Swadeshi Cotton (Dec. 1942)	35,00,000	1,10,00,000	40,05,535
Bengal Nagpur Cotton (Half Year ending (Dec. 1942)	16,00,000	7,40,000	2,11,250
Tata Mills (Dec. 1942)	78,98,550	17,20,000	16,83,391
Kesoram Cotton (Half Year ending Sept. 1942)	35,00,000		16,06,254

(To Be Continued.)

ALL DEPENDS ON INDIA'S FUTURE

Position Of White Race In Pacific Islands

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, Sept. 1.

M. Charles Welter, Netherlands' representative on the Eastern Group Supply Council, ex-Colonial Secretary for Netherlands, who has just arrived in London from India, in an interview said: "The whole position of the white race in the Pacific area depends on the future of India. India is so large and so important that it influences the whole of East Asia. This applies specially to the Netherlands Indies, as Java even now is very strong in racial and cultural connections with India. Between British and Dutch Empires in the Far East there exists absolute similarity of interests, with the Netherlands Indies unfriendly, the hands of the British Empire would be worth nothing and 'vice versa'."

M. Welter added that the function of the Eastern Group Supply Council is to co-operate for the supply of raw materials and war materials from the Cape to New Zealand for Eastern theatres of war India alone is an enormous source of supply.

Women Urge Control Of Milk Price

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

"Stop this indiscriminate slaughter of cows", pleaded Mrs. Lilavati Munshi, presiding over a Women's meeting at the Blavatsky Lodge this evening, convened under the auspices of twenty women's organisations of Bombay to consider the problem resulting from price-racketeering in milk.

The meeting passed a resolution calling the attention of Government to the serious situation due to exorbitant prices of milk. It was pointed out that the health of infants in the city was in danger since milk reached 14 annas-a-seer level. The Government was urged to take immediate measures for controlling the price of milk by providing special transport facilities for the import of milk, milch cattle, fodder, etc., into the city and by stopping the indiscriminate slaughter of milch cattle or cattle gone dry temporarily."

FODDER PRICE STORY

Mrs. Malati Nagarkar pointed out that fodder prices had nothing to do with price-racketeering in milk. Milk which cost 5 annas a seer when fodder prices were Rs. 65 per khandi, now cost 14 annas a seer though fodder prices had dropped to Rs. 38. The real root of the trouble was the monopolistic tendency of milk merchants. She urged the control of milk price as the only solution to the problem.

Mrs. Saraswatibai Kavrekar wanted milk prices to be fixed by Government. She did not think that mere control of fodder prices would solve the problem.

Mrs. Gangaben Patel suggested that a more effective way than the forwarding of a resolution to Government and to the Corporation would be for the citizens to organize a boycott of milk-vendors who profiteered. Each citizen should buy only the quantity of milk required for children. Adults should forego milk.

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WITHOUT COMMENT

Mr. Conran-Smith defended the action of the Chief Press Adviser and maintained that publication of certain portions of Dr. Mookerji's statement could not be permitted on grounds of security and that publication of this kind of stuff was an invitation to the enemy. He expressed misgivings about dramatisation of the situation in Bengal, even with the best of intentions, and condemned the tendency to exploit the situation for a purely political or sectional end.

—Council of State Report.

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According to Sir A. Ramaswamy Mudaliar, "India has played a great part in furnishing these (Middle East) countries with the necessary articles of consumption."

Nonsense, nonsense. And dangerous nonsense. Doesn't he read the authoritative communiques and statements of his own Government of India?

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Mr. Churchill looks forward with confidence to the day when Yugoslavia and Greece will once again be free, "free to live their own lives and decide their own destiny."

What without any reference, pre or post, to the British Government and without any conditions and reservations, direct or indirect?

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"The fate of King Boris", Mr. Churchill said, "may serve other miscreants with a reminder that the wages of sin is death."

Quite true, of course. But Mr. Churchill has generalised over much. Sins must be sharply distinguished from one another. For instance there are other sins but the wages of which are dividends. And so on and so forth.

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"The principal responsibilities of Great Britain against Japan", Mr. Churchill pointed out, "lie on the Indian front and in the Indian Ocean."

Yes, they lie—asleep.

You might object that there was no mention of India and the Indian troops. Don't.

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"No Government ever formed among men has been capable of surviving injuries so grave and cruel as those inflicted by Hitler on Russia".—Sensational statement by Churchill.

History remembering Churchillian eloquence on the Russian Revolution, Communism and Communists and the Archangel adventure must have burst into laughter.

Stalin, too, might confess himself to be highly amused.

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By the way Mr. Churchill has offered the "salute" of the "British Empire" to Marshal Stalin.

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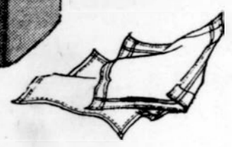

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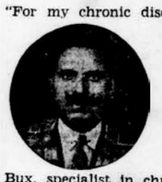
Sound Publications have now published LET INDIA FIGHT FOR FREEDOM by K. A. ABBAS. This young publishing house is putting out a series of book written with the YOUNG and passionate idea, the type of literature which appeals to the more nationalist among readers. In this book by Abbas is to be found the attitude towards the war and Fascism of many young Indians—an attitude not understood by the authorities. Abbas shows how from Gandhi, Nehru to the number of lesser known young intellectuals in this country there is an antipathy towards Fascism and all it stands for. If, however, this country has been backward in its moral support of the war it is because this India is not given the opportunity of fighting for freedom or more correctly for aligning itself with the cause of freedom. If this were understood a little more sympathetically, the contribution of India would be far greater than it is to-day. At heart, Abbas tries to show, Indians like Nehru, Gandhi and others are anti-Fascists. This is proved by statements made by these Indian nationalist leaders—whatever Sir Richard Tottenham may say. The whole effect is a PRO-WAR book with the mental reservation that India should be convinced that it is fighting not for the retention of the 'status quo' but for a greater and better world, where FREEDOM will be something more than a catchword on Government advertisements. This book-pamphlet should be read with interest by those who feel deeply about India and the war.

HARD TIMES FOR CITY HOTEL TRADE

"Difficult times are in store for City hotel trade" was foreshadowed by Mr. K. G. Desai in his speech on the occasion of the general meeting of the Bombay Hotel Owners' Association, held in Tambe's Dining Hall, Fort, Bombay, Mr. N. G. Virkar pointed out the manifold difficulties in securing coal, coke and "Pohas."

New Committee with Mr. R. G. Desai as president and N. G. Virkar as Hon. General Secretary was appointed.

ALL IN VAIN



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Sunrise: 7-25 a.m., Sunset 7-51 p.m.
Hightide: 1-09, 13-25, Lowtide 6-59, 19-30
Municipal Corporation 2 p.m. (B.T.)

To-day's Engagements

BOMBAY CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION: Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Civil Liberties Union, will be held at the R. L. Trust Building, at 7 p.m. to-day Mr. N. M. Joshi, M.L.A. (Central), will be in the Chair.

SAMAVEDA SRAVANAM: Samaveda Sravanam by Melatur Vadhyar at the South Indian Brajana Samaj, Matunga, G.I.P., Bombay, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS —MATUNGA: Public Study Class on "The Law of Correspondences" at 6-15 p.m. at Putla House, Bhaudaji Road, Matunga.

GATHA SOCIETY: Mr. Behramgore T. Anklesaria will speak to-day at 6 p.m. (S.T.) in Gujarati on "The religion of Holy Zarathushtra having belief in Ahura Mazda and the religions that existed before it," at K. R. Cama Oriental Institute Hall, 136, Apollo St.

BHARATIYA VIDYA BHAVAN: Shrimati Sushila Mehta, will deliver an extension lecture on the 'Stotras of the Bhagavats' at 6-30 p.m. at the Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (33-35, Harvey Road). Rao Bahadur Chunilal H. Setalvad will preside.

KANARA SARASWAT ASSOCIATION: Miss Sita Mulky of Gadag will give a music concert at 9-30 p.m. in the Association Hall, Talmaki Wadi, Tardeo.

RATIONING: A.I.R., Bombay will Broadcast a talk in Gujerati on 'Rationing' by Janubhai Desai at 8-20 p.m. today.

ALL MALAYALEE CONFERENCE: The Joint Secretaries of the Bombay All-Malayalee Conference writes: The Bombay All-Malayalee Conference will be held under the joint auspices of the various Malayalee Institutions in Bombay, under the presidentship of Mahakavi Vallathol. A Reception Committee meeting will be held today at 6-30 p.m. at the Conference Office, (81 Hindu Colony, Dadar).

HARDWARE MERCHANTS: Meeting of the hardware merchants of Bombay at 4 p.m. at 43, 2nd Nagdevi Cross Lane, Bombay, in Laxmi Building to raise collections, etc., towards relief to those in distress in Bengal

SRI SAI BHAKTA SAMAJ, MATUNGA: The Punya-thithi of Sri Sai Nath (Sri Sai Baba, Shirdi) falls during Dasara commencing from 29th inst., and ending on Vijayadasami October 8th.

The Samaj has proposed to celebrate the same for 10 days, conducting daily puja, Lakaharchana and religious discourses.

FRIENDS OF SOVIET UNION, BOMBAY: Mr. S. A. Dange will continue the sixth lecture of the series on "Worker in the Soviet Union" and will answer the questions on the subject at the Gujarati Forbes Hall, at 7 p.m. to-day (Thursday).

Admission for ticket holders only.

MAJMA-UL-ADAB: Prof. Azmi of Cairo University will address the Majma to-day (Thursday) at 2 p.m. in the Ismail College Hall.

STUDENTS' UNITY COMMITTEE: A meeting of the Students' Unity Committee will be held at 96, Bora Bazar Street, Fort, at 6 p.m. to-day (Thursday).

In Aid Of Bijapur Relief

The boys and girls of the R. M. Bhatt High School, Parel, will give a variety entertainment (25th anniversary day of the school) at 6 p.m. today in the Setalwad Hall of the School in aid of the Bijapur Relief when Mr. S. A. Brelvi, will preside.

A.-I. T. U. C.

BOMBAY, Sept. 1.

A meeting of the general council of the All-India Trade Union Congress, will be held at Calcutta, on 24th September, under the chairmanship of Mr. S. A. Dange President, A.-I. T.U.C.—A. P.

BENGAL CONGRESS EX-PRESIDENT DEAD

CALCUTTA, Aug. 31.

The death occurred at his residence this afternoon of Mr. Rajendra Chandra Deb, a former President of the Bengal Provincial Congress Committee. He was 63.

A large number of Congressmen called at his residence to pay their last respects to the deceased.—A.P.

PATNA'S NEW DAILY

PATNA:—The "Patna Times", formerly a local weekly, has been converted into a daily.

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CITY MARKET

BOMBAY, September 1.

SHARES: The local Share Bazar was closed and will open tomorrow for weekly settlement. The market will remain closed on Friday and Saturday.

BULLION: Yesterday London Gold was unchanged at £8-8-0 Dollar Sterling cross rate was 4.02-1/2 to 4.03-1/2 at London and 4.03-3/4 at New York London Spot and Forward Silver quotations were unchanged at 23-1/2d and New York Spot Silver was placed at 44-3/4 cents. The local market was firm with heavy short covering and absence of offerings in silver while gold did not show any important change. Silver opened at Rs. 113/6 and advanced to Rs. 114/12 and later steadied at Rs. 114/5 Gold was quoted at Rs. 70/2.

Later on the market was firm. Closing quotations: Silver Ready Rs. 117-8 delivery Rs. 116-8. Gold Ready Rs. 70-12 delivery Rs. 70-4 and Sovereigns Rs. 50-12.

SEEDS: The Seeds Market was firm. Castorseeds May opened at Rs. 94-8 and after declining to Rs. 93-10 advanced to Rs. 98-8 on active buying and finally closed at Rs. 97-12. Groundnuts were quoted at Rs. 95 and Linseed at Rs. 15.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Aug. 31.

October 20.32—4. December 20.18—08. January 20.14—07. Middling Spot 21.24—04.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, Aug. 31.

October 20.55—09. December 20.40—14. January 20.36—14. Middling Spot unreceived.

NEW YORK COTTON, NOON CALL

New York, Aug. 31.

October 20.33. December 20.21. March 20.09.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week endel the 27th day of August 1943.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES

Notes held in the Banking Department Rs. 11,67,14,000, Notes in circulation Rs. 754,63,61,000, Total Notes issued Rs. 766,30,75,000.

ASSETS

A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—(a) Held in India Rs. 44,41,43,000, Sterling Securities Rs. 618,82,23,000, Total of A. Rs. 663,23,66,000. B. Rupee Coin Rs. 14,68,11,000, Government of India Rupee Securities Rs. 88,38,98,000, Total Assets Rs. 766,30,75,000.

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 86.55 per cent.

ASSAM TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. 1,50,00,000—of three months' Government of Assam Treasury Bills will be received at the Offices of the Reserve Bank of India, Bombay and Calcutta up to 11 a.m. on Thursday the 9th September.

Successful tenderes will be required to make payment and take up their bills on Saturday the 11th September.

MADRAS SHARE BAZAR

MADRAS, Sept. 1.

Deccan Big 30/12, So Small 69/8, Indian Sugar 17/6, South India 12/6, Cochin Malabar 18/12, Chembra Peaks 13/4, High Produce 41/12, Kalasa 15/4, Malankar 102/8, Midland 17/6, Ouchterlony 15/2, Vakund 23/6, Vellamalai 26, Vellitam 39, Woodlands 16/4, Bangalore Wol. 400, Coimbatore Spr. 298, Dhanalaxmi 515, Janardhana 210, Kothari Tex 31, Mettur 313, Vasantha 342/8, Ciment 76, Indian Steel Roll 9/10, Mysore Chem. and Fert. 29/12, Mettur Chem. 25, Mettur Chem. defd. 9/10, Singareni 11/4, Spencer 16/2.—A. P.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

CALCUTTA, Sept. 1.

The market generally ruled steady. The speculative engineering issues were a shade easier due to profit-taking, other stocks remained more or less unchanged. Government Securities continued firm.—A. P.

Jinnah's Appeal To Muslims To Help People Of Bengal

An appeal to the Muslims all over India to contribute their mite to the relief fund opened by the Calcutta Muslim Chamber of Commerce is made by Mr. M. A. Jinnah in a statement to the press. Mr. Jinnah says:

I have been informed that the Bengal Ministry is doing its best to grapple with the difficult situation that has arisen but they require the help and the co-operation of individuals and organisations in giving succour to the starving people.

I, therefore, appeal to the Muslims all over India and especially in Bengal to come to the rescue of the people of Bengal by contributing their mite to the relief fund opened by the Calcutta Muslim Chamber of Commerce to which I was sending my personal contribution of Rs 1,000 addressed to Calcutta Muslim Chamber of Commerce, Relief Fund through the President of the Chamber.—A.P.

3 COURT FIRE CASE ACCUSED COMMITTED TO SESSIONS

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Orders were passed to-day by Mr. G. A. Sabnis, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court in what is known as the Mazagaon Court Fire case. The accused in the case were Mahadeo Balaji Kale, Anand Mukund Sable, Tukaram Genu Nikam, Jijaba Krishnaji Pawar, Haji Zaver Gilani and Laxman Sakaram Mandre. Of these, Tukaram Genu Nikam and Jijaba Pawar having turned approvers, the proceedings against them were dropped. Kaveribai Diwecha, the seventh accused in the case was discharged by the Special Court.

His Worship found that a Prima-Facie case against accused Nos 1, 2 and 6 and ordered them to be committed to the ensuing criminal sessions of the Bombay High Court to stand their trial under the Explosive Substances Act.

JAILED FOR PROCESSION

Raghunath Dhondu and Yagneshwar Devarao who were arrested for taking out a Congress procession with National Flags, were sentenced to two months' R.I. by Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon Court.

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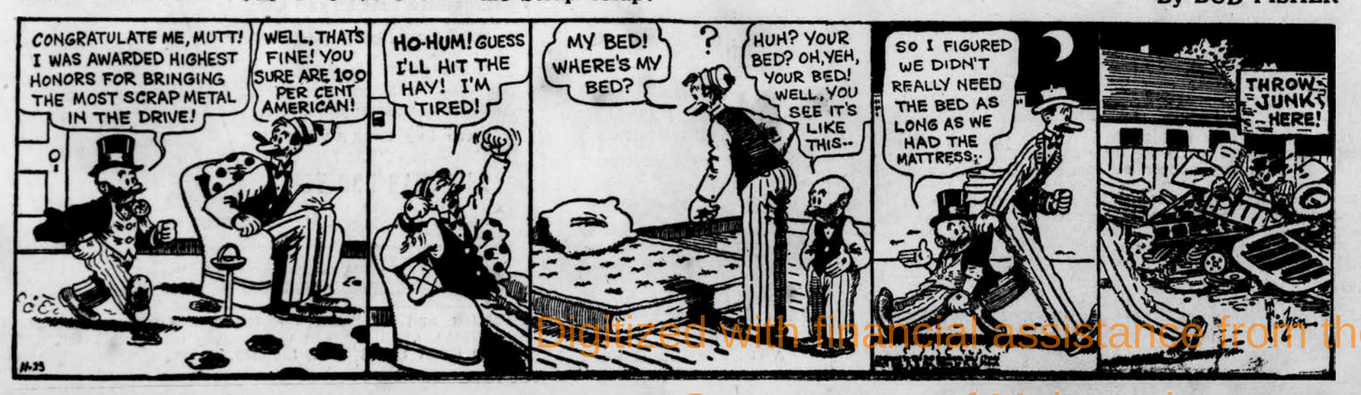
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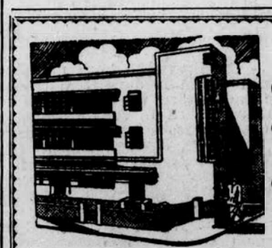

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THE SECRETARY,
Central Committee,
Vikram Bi-Mellennium Celebrations,
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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground of the redeemed pension and tax tenure with messuage, tenements or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Upper Mahim on Custom Road (old Durgah Street now called Cadell Road) in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 593 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 206, New No. A3868, New Survey No. 1441 and Cadastral Survey No. 1051 of Mahim Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward No. 5231-5232, Street No. 125 J, with the moiety of gully on the South side thereof and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East by the said Old Durgah Street now known as Cadell Road, on or towards the West by the Sea, on or towards the North partly by the Sea and partly by the property of Khanbhai and on or towards the South by the property of Dorabji Behramji.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1943.

GHULAMALI NOORANI & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWELFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Co., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 315-321, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay on Thursday the 2nd September, 1943 at 5 p.m. (S.T.) to transact the following Business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Revenue and Profit and Loss Accounts and the Balance Sheet of the Company for the year ended 31st December, 1942.
2. To sanction declaration of Dividend on Ordinary shares issued prior to 31st December 1942.
3. To elect Directors in place of Rai Bahadur Jagmal Raja, Mr. B. V. Jadhav, Mr. Naval C. Jerajani who retire by rotation but being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company, will be closed from 18th August, 1943, to 5th September, 1943, both days inclusive.

By Order of the
Board of Directors,
VIJAYSINH GOVINDJI,
Managing Director.
(5934)

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
TESTAMENTARY & INTESTATE JURISDICTION

GEORGE VI, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration with the Will annexed of the Property and Credits of Dalsukhram Purshottamdas of Patan Prant Mehsana in Baroda State territories. Hindu Inhabitant, resided at the time of death at Patan. .... Deceased.

Bai CHANDAN, widow of Dalsukhram Purshottamdas of Patan Prant Mehsana in Baroda State Territories Hindu Inhabitant, the sole legatee under the Will of the deceased, temporarily residing at Ramji Mandir Chawl, 2nd Floor, Bhuleshwar without the Fort of Bombay ..... Petitioner

ALL persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this 16th day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and forty-three and in the seventh year of our Reign.

(Sd.)
G. G. MAHADEVIA,
for Prothonotary and Senior Master.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.)
K. K. DASTUR,
The 17th day of August, 1943.

Messrs. THAKORDAS DARU HEMANY & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
(5936)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that (1) KHANDERAO VASUDEO KULKARNI, (2) RUKMANIBAI, widow of Balkrishna Vasudeo Kulkarni, (3) GAJANAN BALKRISHANA KULKARNI and (4) MANOHAR BALKRISHNA KULKARNI, all of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitants, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge trust maintenance' easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at No. 485, Kalbadevi Road, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground (of which the Fazandar is the Fabrica of the Cathedral of Our Lady of Hope, Bhuleshwar) Together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Takwadi (Kalbadevi Road) outside the Fort of Bombay and in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 126 square yards according to the title deeds but 117 square yards as appearing from the City Survey Register or thereabouts forming portion of land registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 2244 and New Survey No. 21 part and Cadastral Survey No. 30 of Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C. Ward No. 381 and Street Nos. 20-21 present Street Nos. 1A and 1B and bounded as follows:—

That is to say, on or towards the East by the sweepers passage, on or towards the West by the public passage, on or towards the North by the property of Narotam Gordhandas and on or towards the South by the property of Noormahomed Peermahomed

Dated this 30th day of August, 1943.

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AUCTION SALES

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IN INSOLVENCY
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DECLARE DIVIDEND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Official Assignee of Bombay intends to declare dividends in the following estates as mentioned below:—

Serial No.	Insolvency No.	Name of the Insolvent.	Dividend intended to be declared.
1	262|40	Joseph George Seixas	First
2	276|40	Laxuman Daji Patil	"
3	310|40	Alfred John Munro	"
4	1|41	Norbert Stanislans Rozario	"
5	102|40	N. W. Rangnekar	First & Final
6	324|40	Bhikaji Kashinath Karandikar	"
7	157|42	John Leonard Rosario	"
8	146|36	Mohan Prasad Upadhya	Second
9	425|36	Issac Abraham Jeweller	"
10	433|37	Vishwanath Ganesh Patwardhan	"
11	61|38	Reuben Leslie de Silva	"
12	210|38	Chhotalal Chunilal & Dayabhai Chunilal	"
13	327|38	Kantilal Manilal (a firm)	Second & Final
14	255|39	Henry Simmons	"
15	149|40	Phirozshah Ardeshir Shroff	"
16	537|36	Vaman Vishwanath Phadke	Third
17	160|31	Percy Welcome	Fifth
18	591|36	Bertie Stanley Munro	Supplementary & Final
19	14|41	Krishnaji Ramchandra Padhye	Preferential Distribution.

Creditors who have not proved their claims are requested to do so in the office of the undersigned within 14 days from the date hereof. If they fail to do so, their claims will be excluded and the undersigned will proceed to declare a dividend in the abovementioned estates as stated above without regard to such claims.

All persons having claims against the Official Assignee in the abovementioned estates in respect of costs, charges, expenses, rent lien or otherwise, are hereby requested to notify their claims to the undersigned forthwith, if they have not done so already. All such claims must be sent to the undersigned within 14 days from the date hereof. On expiry of the said period, the assets in the above estates will be distributed as aforesaid and the claims received after that period will not be recognised.

Bombay, this 31st day of August, 1943.

Official Assignee's Office,
High Court, Bombay.

R. S. BILIMORIA,
Official Assignee of Bombay.
(5945)

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